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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Thirty-fourth Saturday in 1938

(*20th August* 1938.)

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 20th August 1938								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Upto the end of the week from 1st January 1938							
						This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4				6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE	Bangalore (observatory)	4	90	1	17	21	71	15	97	+ 5	74				
	Hoskote ...	2	77	0	75	13	42	13	02	+ 0	40		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Dodballapur ...	2	63	0	88	14	75	14	32	+ 0	43	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	7·00	7·00
	Nelamangala ...	2	95	1	03	19	88	13	64	+ 6	24				
	Kankanhalli ...	6	00	0	86	30	33	14	42	+15	91	Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·00
	Magadi ...	5	97	1	12	22	81	14	33	+ 8	48				
	Channapatna ...	7	55	1	10	29	50	15	22	+14	28	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	15·00
	Anekal ...	2	52	1	00	15	63	16	03	— 0	40				
	Devanhalli ...	1	38	0	74	13	83	13	47	+ 0	36	Kadale	9·00	9·00	10·00
	Closepet ...	6	76	0	99	22	10	15	31	+ 6	79				
	District average ...	4	34	0	96	20	39	14	57	+ 5	82				
KOLAR	Kolar ...	1	98	1	01	10	87	12	46	— 1	59				
	Bowringpet ...	2	54	1	09	15	37	12	62	+ 2	75				
	Chintamani ...	2	53	0	66	19	18	12	03	+ 7	15	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	6·00
	Mulbagal ...	2	33	1	14	12	54	12	78	— 0	24				
	Sidlaghatta ...	2	16	0	88	16	72	13	18	+ 3	54	Ragi	18·00	18·00	12·00
	Chikballapur ...	2	21	0	95	17	76	14	28	+ 3	48				
	Bagepalli ...	2	96	0	88	17	26	11	74	+ 5	52	Kulthi	15·00	15·00	11·00
	Goribidnur ...	1	83	1	05	13	08	12	23	+ 0	85				
	Malur ...	2	16	0	94	15	26	13	38	+ 1	88	Kadale	8·00	8·00	7·00
	Srinivaspur ...	2	42	0	95	15	49	12	55	+ 2	94				
	Gudibanda ...	2	69	1	11	17	39	13	76	+ 3	63				
	District average ...	2	34	0	96	15	53	12	81	+ 2	72				
TUMKUR	Tumkur ...	3	45	0	91	15	91	14	90	+ 1	01				
	Madhugiri ...	2	75	0	79	16	76	12	10	+ 4	66				
	Chiknaikanhalli ...	0	30	0	85	13	96	12	80	+ 1	16	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	5·00
	Sira ...	2	43	0	74	10	58	9	86	+ 0	72				
	Gubbi ...	1	83	1	08	21	50	13	32	+ 8	18	Ragi	16·00	16·00	11·00
	Tiptur ...	1	32	0	69	09	38	11	22	— 1	84				
	Pavagada ...	3	65	0	60	16	27	09	09	+ 7	18	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	13·00
	Kunigal ...	2	91	1	08	19	59	12	93	+ 6	66				
	Koratagere ...	1	72	0	84	18	57	11	91	+ 6	66	Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
	Turuvekere ...	1	63	0	71	13	15	12	14	+ 1	01				
	District average ...	2	19	0	83	15	57	12	03	+ 3	54				

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	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1938									
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6					
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightl avarage
MYSORE														
Mysore (observatory)	2	56	0	61	10	61	14	92	— 4	31				
Chamarajnagar ...	1	75	0	54	12	37	12	38	— 0	01				
Seringapatam ...	1	53	0	63	15	09	12	64	+ 2	45		Seers	Seers	Seers
Hunsur ...	1	10	0	56	14	31	17	50	— 3	19				
Krishnarajnagar ...	0	98	0	45	14	64	12	96	+ 1	68	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	8·00
Heggaddevankote ...	1	31	0	89	23	16	24	17	— 1	01				
Gundlupet ...	0	21	0	38	11	03	13	26	— 2	23	Ragi	16·00	16·00	16·00
Nanjangud ...	0	96	0	52	10	13	15	19	— 5	06				
T.-Narsipur ...	2	65	0	64	16	06	13	18	+ 2	88	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Malvalli ...	0	85	0	69	15	06	12	28	+ 2	78				
Mandya ...	2	00	0	82	13	74	12	10	+ 0	64	Kadale	9·00	9·00	7·50
Krishnarajpete ...	2	11	0	62	13	26	14	36	— 1	10				
Nagamangala ...	1	36	0	64	08	47	11	13	— 2	66				
Periyapatna ...	0	93	0	66	12	99	20	82	— 7	83				
Maddur ...	6	05	0	77	18	28	11	86	+ 6	42				
French-Rocks ...	2	10	0	65	12	29	12	15	+ 0	14				
District average ...	1	78	0	63	13	78	14	43	— 0	65				
HASSAN														
Hassan (observatory)	0	85	0	70	10	57	18	61	— 9	04				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	1	07	2	93	49	82	71	86	—22	04	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	9·50
Arkalgud ...	0	59	0	88	13	70	24	31	—10	61				
Belur ...	0	20	0	71	16	04	26	38	—10	34	Ragi	19·00	16·00	18·00
Channarayapatna ...	1	46	0	63	12	63	13	76	— 1	13				
Arsikere ...	2	29	0	64	13	48	12	57	+ 0	91	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	14·00
Hole-Narsipur ...	3	63	0	52	14	59	15	06	— 0	47				
Alur ...	0	67	1	02	15	81	28	32	—12	51	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·00
District average ...	1	34	1	00	18	33	26	48	— 8	15				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	0	80	0	90	11	29	21	68	—10	39				
Channagiri ...	0	89	1	04	10	62	15	81	— 5	19				
Honnali ...	0	71	0	53	10	71	12	83	— 2	12	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·75	7·75	7·26
Shikarpur ...	0	38	0	94	23	41	24	12	— 0	71				
Scrab ...	0	54	1	98	34	52	46	45	—11	93	Ragi	20·00	20·00	17·86
Sagar ...	1	58	2	78	56	15	65	79	— 9	64				
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	2	90	2	98	76	90	85	88	— 8	92	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	10·43
Tirthahalli ...	4	27	4	57	78	89	98	88	—19	99				
Kumsi ...	0	68	1	20	21	30	28	96	— 7	66				
District average ...	1	42	1	88	35	98	44	49	— 8	51				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	0	60	0	51	12	25	22	62	—10	37				
Kadur ...	0	80	0	43	07	91	11	68	— 3	77	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·50	8·00
Tarikere ...	1	84	1	03	13	03	23	07	—10	04				
Koppa ...	3	30	4	35	77	10	92	97	—15	87	Ragi	16·00	16·00	22·00
Mudgere ...	3	64	2	98	46	24	73	19	—26	95				
Narasimharajpura ...	1	18	2	60	32	41	55	46	—23	05	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	16·00
Sringeri ...	5	32	6	12	117	34	116	72	+ 0	62				
District average ...	2	38	2	57	43	75	56	53	—12	78	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·00
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug (observatory)	0	76	0	69	09	78	12	05	— 2	27				
Challakere ...	1	05	0	50	09	50	07	77	+ 1	73	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	5·00
Hiriyur ...	0	96	0	54	07	63	09	91	— 2	28				
Holalkere ...	2	13	0	72	12	62	12	44	+ 0	18	Ragi	22·00	22·00	12·00
Davangere ...	1	75	0	95	08	19	12	85	— 4	66				
Molakalmuru ...	1	09	0	75	09	76	09	62	+ 0	14	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	9·00
Jagalur ...	1	48	0	75	09	95	10	74	— 0	79				
Hosdurga ...	0	40	0	55	05	90	11	63	— 5	73	Cholum	16·00	16·00	12·00
Harihar ...	0	62	0	60	07	07	10	72	— 3	65				
											Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
District average ...	1	14	0	67	08	93	10	86	— 1	93				
Provincial average ...	2	12	1	19	21	53	24	02	— 2	49				

NOTE—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana Kadale—(Bengalgram) Cicer Aristinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, sugarcane, ragi, avare and thogari are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

Crops Sown.—Ragi, avare and thogari are being sown in parts of Hoskote, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Channapatna Taluks.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.
Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in ploughing dry nad wet lands for sowing horsegram, paddy and ragi.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, paddy, ragi, avare, thogari, same, sajje, groundnut, haraka are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Sown.—Ragi, avare, thogari, paddy, sugarcane and groundnut.

Crops Harvested.—Gidda ragi and tobacco in some parts of Goribidnur Taluk.

10. Generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of "Blackquarter" at Balamanda and Doddaponnandahalli of Bowringpet Taluk and in some parts of Kasaba and Narasapur Hoblis of Malur Taluk and "Chappe Roga" in Saganahalli, Ganganahalli, Gangasandra and Kadagur villages of Goribidnur Taluk. Necessary preventive measures are reported to have been taken by the Veterinary Department to check the spread of the disease.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Ragi, avare, thogari in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur, Sira, Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks; haraka and hutchellu in parts of Tumkur; jola in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks; groundnut in parts of Tumkur; nati ragi, korale and navane in Pavagada Taluk; til and punaji paddy in parts of Kunigal Taluk; til and paddy in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk; navane and castor in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Turuvekere Taluks; haraka and chillies in the Turuvekere Taluk are reported to be sown. It is reported that sowing operations are going on in the Madhugiri Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, jola, thogari and castor in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur, Koratagere and Turuvekere Taluks; paddy and sugarcane in parts of Tumkur, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere Taluks; jola, nati ragi, groundnut, castor and paddy in Pavagada Taluk; gidda ragi in Sira Taluk; greengram in parts of Chiknayakanhalli are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane and paddy in Hebbur Hobli, Tumkur Taluk.